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Hopkinsville Market Quotations.

Corrected Jan. 1, 1915.

RETAIL GROCERY PRICES.

Country lard, good color and clean 14c and 15c per pound.
Country bacon, 18c per pound.
Black-eyed peas, \$3.50 per bushel.
Country shoulders, 12c per pound.
Country hams 22c per pound.
Irish potatoes, \$1.00 per bushel.
Northern eating Rural potatoes \$1.00 per bushel.
Texas eating onions, \$1.75 per bushel, new stock.
Dried Navy beans, \$3.20 per bushel.
Cabbage, new, 2 1/2 cents a pound.
Dried Lima beans, 60c per gallon.
Country dried apples, 10c per pound, 3 for 25c.
Daisy cream cheese, 25c per pound.
Full cream brick cheese, 25c per pound.
Full cream Limberger cheese, 25c per pound.
Popcorn, dried on ear, 2c per pound.
Fresh Eggs 35c per doz.
Choice lots fresh, well-worked country butter, in pound prints, 35c.
FRUITS.
Lemons, 25c per dozen.
Navel Oranges, 20c to 40c per doz.
Bananas, 15c and 25c doz.
Cash Price Paid For Produce.

POULTRY.

Dressed hens, 10c per pound.
Dressed cocks, 7c per pound.
Live hens, 17c per pound; live cocks, 4c per pound; live turkeys, 12c per pound.
ROOTS, HIDES, WOOL AND TALLOW.
Prices paid by wholesale dealers to butchers and farmers:
Roots—Southern ginseng, \$5.75 lb.
"Golden Seal" yellow root, \$1.85 lb.
Mayapple, 3 1/2; pink root, 12c and 13c.
Tallow—No. 1, 4 1/2; No. 2, 4c.
Wool—Burry, 10c to 17c; Clear Grease, 21c, medium, tub washed 23c to 30c; coarse, dingy, tub washed 18c.
Feathers—Prime white goose, 50c; dark and mixed old goose, 15c to 30c; gray mixed, 15c to 30c; white duck 22c to 35c, new.

Hides and Skins—These quotations are for Kentucky hides. Southern green hides 8c. We quote assorted lots dry flint, 12c to 14c. 9-10 better demand.

Dressed geese, 11c per pound for choice lots, live 5 1/2.

Fresh country eggs, 50 cents per dozen.

Fresh country butter 25c lb.

A good demand exists for spring chickens, and choice lots of fresh country butter.

HAY AND GRAIN.

No. 1 timothy hay, \$24.00
No. 1 clover hay, \$20.00
Clean, bright straw hay, 15c bale
Alfalfa hay, \$20.00
White seed oats, 54c
Black seed oats, 63c
Mixed seed oats, 65c
No. 2 white corn, 90c
Winter wheat bran, \$26.00

FOR BETTER ROADS

WINTER ROAD WORK NEEDED

Many Little Improvements That Can Be Made Which Will Combine to Improve Conditions.

American farmers seem to lose sight of the fact that our roads are traveled and cut up by man and beast and washed full of ditches by the elements for twelve months every season, while the period during which there is any improvement along the highways covers but one-half that length of time—perhaps less than that.

Is it any wonder that our road system improves so slowly under such conditions? Winter road work is of vital importance. Of course we cannot get out and dig, plow, scrape and grade in sections where the ground is frozen, but there are many little improvements that can be made which will combine to establish more favorable conditions, both during the winter and when the time comes for more active work next season.

Sometimes it is a strip of brush or shrubbery along the fence that ought to be removed, but in any event they must be got rid of, hence they, in addition to the above detriment, prove a nuisance to the traveling public in the summer, by shutting off the air when the days grow sweltering. Then, too, the drying effect of the sun and wind is shut out from the roadbed and this also yields a most detrimental influence on the condition of the roads.

But one must exercise good judgment in the disposition of brush growing along the road. If the drain ditch on each side of the track is somewhat deep, toss the brush into it till it is the proper depth for good drainage, and to prevent further wash; then throw in no more.

If the ditch is about the right depth at the start, keep all the brush out of it so that ample drainage is certain. Bear in mind that correct drainage is the most important factor to be considered in the maintenance of good roads. A firm, compact roadbed cannot exist where water settles on the surface or soaks into the soil and remains there.

Then, many bridges get in bad repair during the winter months. A board or two may be loosened or a treacherous hole may be just right for one or both of the horses to step a foot into it and break a bone. By keeping an eye on these places, one will be enabled to repair them just before they become dangerous, which will help to distribute the road work through the whole year, instead of only six months at a time, as well as arranging so that all of the labor may be as nearly cleaned up as possible when the spring comes. Then real improvement of the road may be carried on at once, without any preparatory or repair work being done.

The most important thing that must be kept constantly in mind is that of dragging the roads whenever practicable in winter. Of course we cannot make use of the drag every day, but there are days when the slight thawing again begins to freeze on the surface of the earth, the dirt is brittle enough to be moved and yet it will not roll or clog up on the drag. This is when the road reaches its worst stage through being cut up by travel and if it is left in this condition it freezes that way, making it rough and rutty till it thaws out the following day.

Working down with the drag will brush off and crush the clods and the high places, filling up low and rutty spots, leaving the roadbed smooth and more compact. The ground then freezes up before it is cut up much more by travel, and thus the track will be smoother and easier than if allowed to freeze up just as the whole day's travel left it.

Any snow or rain that falls on a stretch of road thus treated with the drag will have no ruts and low places to retain the water and make the roadbed soft, yielding and difficult to drain or dry off.

Furnish Green Stuff.

Good succulent green stuff should be on hand at all times. It should form a good part of the daily ration, for chicks need bulk as well as nourishment.

Best Dairy Farming.

The best kind of dairy farming keeps the skim milk on the farm and markets it as young stock, pork and poultry products.

Age of a Fowl.

The age of a fowl is always disclosed by the condition of its legs. If the skin is hard and rough be sure it is an old one. The delicacy of the skin of the face indicates youth.

Excellent Insurance.

A grain bin on a farm is excellent insurance against forced sale at low price.

Tax Keenly Felt.

Poor roads impose a tax never more keenly felt than at grain-hauling time.

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St. L. Express 5:35 p. m.

Dixie Flyer 9:35 a. m.

Hopkinsville Ar. 7:08 a. m.

St. L. Fast Mail 5:24 a. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

Dixie Limited 9:55 p. m.

C. & St. L. Lim., 5:29 a. m.

St. Louis Express, 9:55 a. m.

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